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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: FRANKEL, et al. Conf.: 3665
Appl. No.: 09/821,422 Group: 2633
Filed: March 29, 2001 Examiner: David C. PAYNE
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING
TUNABLE DISPERSION COMPENSATION

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM

MS AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 8, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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In reply to the Office Action dated February 8, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes Amendments to the Specification, Claim Set as Amended, and Remarks.